## REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 2161

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: HETTISH	Confirmation No.: 3718
Application No.: 10/673,846	Group Art Unit: 2161
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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING INFORMATION REGARDING AN IDENTITY'S TRUE AVAILABILITY	RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL
	Docket No.: 2003P08062US
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are:

- 1. Response to Final Office Action mailed June 30, 2008.
- While no fees are believed due in conjunction with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>50-1852</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  - i. 🛛 Credit any overpayment.
  - ii. Machania Charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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Respectfully submitted,

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